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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL	
MAIL STOP RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	
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Confirmation Number	9032
Filing Date	December 12, 2003
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Group Art Unit	2873
Examiner Name	Jessica T. STULTZ
Matter Number	Q78446
Title	PROGRESSIVE ADDITION POWER LENS

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i. ☐ Please enter and consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on _____

ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____

iii. ☐ Other _____

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Please charge the RCE statutory fee of \$790.00 to Deposit Account No. 19-4889. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

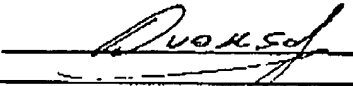
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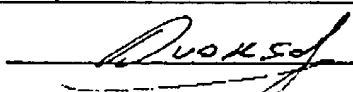
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